



# MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND SANITATION

## National Medical Supplies Agency (NMSA)

31 Murray Town Road, Freetown, Sierra Leone

Operations Office: Central Medical Stores, Off Jomo Kenyatta Road, New England Ville



### Invitation for Bids

#### Procurement of Pharmaceuticals for Free Healthcare Initiative

Procurement Number: NMSA/OPS/FHCD/ICB/2021/008-2

Date of First Issued: 13<sup>th</sup> September 2021

The Government of Sierra Leone has allocated funds to the National Medical Supplies Agency for the procurement of Pharmaceuticals for the Free Health Care Initiative and Cost Recovery Program, and now invites sealed bids from eligible bidders for the supply of product listed below:

Free Health Care Drugs	
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<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Albendazole 400mg, Tab</li><li>Ampicillin 500mg, Pdr for IM, Inj, Vial</li><li>Amoxicillin 500mg Capsules</li><li>Benzathine Benzylpenicillin 2.4MU, Pdr for Inj, 10ml, Vial</li><li>Cannula, IV, 22G, Short, Sterile, Disposable, Pcs</li><li>Cannula, IV, 24G, Short, Sterile, Disposable, Pcs</li><li>Ceftriaxone 1g, Pdr for Inj, Vial</li><li>Chlorhexidine Gluconate 5%, Solution, 1000ml, Bot</li><li>Chlorhexidine Gluconate 7.1%, Gel (20mg Tube)</li><li>Chlorine Dioxide, Pdr, Barrel, 40kg</li><li>Ciprofloxacin 250mg, Tab</li><li>Co-Trimoxazole (Sulfamethoxazole &amp; Trimethoprim) 100mg &amp; 20mg, Dispersible, Tab</li><li>Cotton Wool, Absorbent, 500g, Roll</li><li>Diazepam 5mg/ml, Inj, 2ml, Amp</li><li>Envelope, Dispensing, Plastic, 10cm x 7cm, Pcs</li><li>Erythromycin 125mg/5ml, Pdr for Susp, 100ml, Bot</li><li>Gauze, Pad, N17, 12-Ply, 10cm x 10cm, Pcs</li><li>Gentamicin 40mg/ml, Inj, 2ml, Amp</li><li>Glove, Exam, Latex, Medium, Nonsterile, Disposable, Pcs</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Glove, Surgical, Size 7.5, Sterile, Disposable, Pair</li><li>Ibuprofen 200mg, Tab</li><li>IV Giving Set, Pcs</li><li>Metronidazole 5mg/ml, Inj, 100ml, Vial</li><li>Needle, Hypodermic, Luer, 23G, Sterile, Disposable, Pcs</li><li>Oral Rehydration Salts (ORS), 20.5g/L Sachet</li><li>Paracetamol (Acetaminophen) 500mg, Tab</li><li>Phenobarbital (Phenobarbitone) 200mg/ml, Inj, 1ml, Amp</li><li>Povidone Iodine 10%, Solution, 200ml Bot</li><li>Tube, Asp/Feed, CH06, Sterile, Disposable, Pcs</li><li>Tube, Asp/Feed, CH10, Sterile, Disposable, Pcs</li><li>Vitamin K, 1mg/ml, 1ml amp</li><li>Water for Injection 10ml, Inj, Amp</li></ul>

Delivery Duty Paid (DDP, Incoterms 2020) at the NMSA warehouses in Freetown, Sierra Leone.

Bidding is open to suppliers from all countries, and bidders shall not be under suspension for corrupt and or fraudulent practice. Bidders shall demonstrate compliance with All requirements in the bidding document.

Interested bidders may inspect the bidding document on or before Monday 18th October 2021 2021 at the NMSA Administrative office building at 31 Murray Town Road, Freetown, between the hours of 9.00 AM to 4.00 PM GMT daily. Bidding documents may be purchased upon payment of a

non-refundable fee of One Million Leones (SLLe 1,000,000.00), or its equivalent in a freely convertible currency. Payment should be made into Bank of Sierra Leone, NPPA -Revenue from sale of Bidding documents Account # 0111-0039-81 / BBAN: 000001011100398165 or Sierra Leone Commercial Bank, NPPA-Revenue from sale of Bidding Documents, Account # 0111003981 / BBAN: 003001081791112183 and pay-in slip submitted to the Finance and Procurement Units of the agency. The Bidding Documents will be promptly dispatched by courier upon receipt of evidence of payment, but no liability can be accepted for loss or late delivery.

A "Pre-Bid Conference" would be held at 10.00 AM GMT on Thursday 7th October 2021, at the Conference Room of the National Medical Supplies Agency at 31 Murray Town Road, Freetown. Provision would be made for virtual participation as well.

Completed serialized/paginated Bids for each Lot (**BID DOCUMENTS FOR EACH LOT ARE TO BE SUBMITTED SEPARATELY**) must be delivered to the address below on or before Monday 8th November 2021 11:00 AM. All bids must be accompanied by:

- Bid Security of Two hundred Million Leones (SL Le 200,000,000.00) from a reputable Bank or its equivalent in freely convertible currency;
- A valid and updated tax certificate;
- A valid business registration;
- A valid and updated Nassit Certificate (only for Bidders based in Sierra Leone);
- Three Years audited financial report
- Evidence of experience in similar supplies
- A signed Integrity Pact

Bids will be publicly opened on Monday 8th November 2021 at 11:05 AM, in the presence of bidders' designated representatives and any member of the public who chooses to attend at the address below. Late bids will be rejected and returned unopened to bidders.

Bids should be addressed to:

The National Medical Supplies Agency  
Attn: The Procurement Director  
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Sierra Leone +232 78523827  
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